

# PAROISSE ST. JEAN BAPTISTE PARISH BULLETIN



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January 26th, 2025  
Third Sunday In Ordinary Time



Rejoicing in the Lord must be your strength.

The priest-scribe Ezra proclaims the law of Moses to the Jewish people who have returned from exile in Babylon. Upon hearing the words of the law for the first time in a generation, the people weep. Their sorrow at not having adhered to the law for so long should call attention to our own infidelities to God's law. But most of all, this people's wholehearted response to the law can fill us with gratitude to God for revealing his merciful love to us in Jesus Christ.

In the first reading, Ezra the priest-scribe reads from the book of the law, interpreting so that all could .

## New Rebuild Donation options

### E-Transfer option:

1. Go to your online bank acct
2. Go to interact e-transfers and enter recipient name:
3. **Diocese of St. Paul.**
4. E-mail address [etransfer@dostp.ca](mailto:etransfer@dostp.ca)
5. Add a message and please state which collection you would like it to go to e.g. Church rebuild

## Automatic Withdrawal Option

Automatic Bank withdrawal is set up for those parishioners that are interested in looking at this other option for monthly donations. There are some forms at the gym you can also contact the office for any questions at [office.sjbp@icloud.com](mailto:office.sjbp@icloud.com) or call 780-939-4412 ext 0.

## Debit/Credit Card Donations

The parish office has a debit/credit card machine for those parishioners that would like to make their donations via their banking cards.

## Charitable Donation Extension

The Government of Canada has extended the 2024 charitable tax deadline to February 28, 2025. If you would like your donation to be for 2024 please clearly label that either on your envelope or e-transfer. If it is not labeled 2024 they will be posted for 2025.

## Knights of Columbus

The Knights of Columbus meet at 7:00 pm the third Monday of the month at the Rendez-Vous Centre. KC Breakfast is **Sunday Jan 26th from 9 am to 12 pm** at the Rendez Vous Centre.



## Sacrament Preparation Registration

### Sacrament Preparation for Children Gr 2 or older

Sun Feb 9, 2025 Registration/Parent meeting Session 1  
Sun Feb 23, 2025 Session 2  
Sun Mar 2, 2025 Session 3  
Sun Mar 9, 2025—Session 4  
Sun Mar 16, 2025—Session 5  
Sun Mar 30, 2025—Session 6  
Sun April 6, 2025—Session 7

All sessions take place at **Notre Dame School** in the **Library** beginning at 10:00 AM  
Monday **April 7, 2025** Celebration of Reconciliation  
**Notre Dame School Gym 6:00 PM**

Please note that this will be the only registration session and will include registration for Reconciliation, Confirmation and First Eucharist. You will find more details on the parish website [sjbpmorinville.ca](http://sjbpmorinville.ca)





DATE		TIME	MASS INTENTIONS
Saturday	Jan 25	5:00 PM	RIP Joe & Vicky Bouvier & Family—Meriem & Family
Sunday	Jan 26	10:00 am	RIP Rene Chevalier—Denise RIP Emiliene & Lily Houle—Richard & Dorine
Monday	Jan 27	6:30 PM	
Tuesday	Jan 28	8:30 AM	Special Intention Dianne Rondeau—Jeannette
Wednesday	Jan 29	10:00 AM 5:00 PM	RIP Denise Elmore
Thursday	Jan 30	10:00 AM 5:00 PM	RIP Raymond , Bernadette & Ron—Jeannette
Friday	Jan 31	8:30 PM	Deceased Boissonnault & Brenneis Family—Shirley
Saturday	Feb 1	5:00 PM	RIP Armand & Yvette Houle—Louise Boissonneault
Sunday	Feb 2	9:00 am 11:00 am	RIP Jeannette Dorosh—Isabel For Parishioners

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**PLEASE PRAY FOR** those that are sick and ill or struggling and who are going through any medical procedures and treatments especially for Ernie Wulff. We pray for their healing and recovery.

#### Home visit for the sick

If you know of anyone that is living alone or anyone that needs anointing or would like to receive communion in their home. You can call the parish office. Or after hours call Fr Trini at 780-645-9749.

#### Sunday of the Word of God January 26

In the Apostolic Letter *Aperuit illis*, Pope Francis instituted the Sunday of the Word of God, which is celebrated on the Third Sunday in Ordinary Time.

“Developing a specific Sunday of the liturgical year to the word of God can enable the Church to experience anew how the risen Lord opens up for the treasury of his word and enables us to proclaim its unfathomable riches before the world”. Pope Francis , *Aperuit illis*, 2

#### The Chosen Season 3



Every Wednesday at 7:00 pm in the Rectory Basement

#### CHILDRENS MASS

We would like to express our gratitude to the children and their parents who have attended the Children's Mass, to the Ecole Notre Dame children's choir, to the teachers and to everyone who made this celebration a fruitful one.

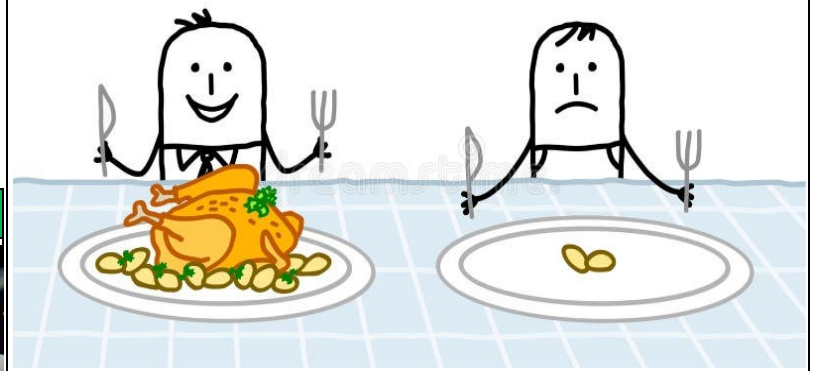


### RICH MAN/POOR MAN SUPPER

St. Jean Baptiste Parish Fundraising Committee invites you to attend a Rich Man/Poor Man supper. It will take place on Saturday, March 1st at the Morinville Seniors Rendezvous Centre. Doors open at 5:30pm, with dinner service beginning at 6:30pm. Tickets are \$20/person, with all proceeds going towards the St. Jean Baptiste Parish rebuild fund. There will be a cash bar and simple, but fun, entertainment!!

Leading into the Lenten season, the premise is simple: take a chance to eat either a bowl of rice, or be one of the lucky ones to receive a more substantial meal. It is a reminder to appreciate how blessed we are to live in such a rich country and to remember our brothers and sisters around the world who aren't so lucky.

Tickets are available at the rectory from Donna, after masses, or contact Lisa St-Onge at 780-984-4904.



January 19, 2025	Collection	\$2380.00
	December E-Transfer	\$4000.00
	December E-Transfer New Build	\$ 5,425.00
	Automatic Bank	\$ 1,153.67
	Withdrawal	

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